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## INTIMATIONS.

~~RINIS ROYAL ITAL~~  
~~CIRCUS~~

**MANAGEMENT OF PERFORMING ANIMALS**  
 AND  
**THE IMPERIAL SHIMIDZU JAPANESE TROUPE**  
 under a spacious and well ventilated Pavilignat  
 Downington.  
**TO-NIGHT, (MONDAY), 25th.**  
**ANOTHER GRAND PERFORMANCE**  
 with an entire  
 CHANGE OF PROGRAMME  
 in order to present to the Public of this City,  
 during their brief stay, all the Startling and  
 Amazing Novelties included in this vast  
**GREGG AND WONDERS.**  
 CONSTANT CHANGES OF PROGRAMMES  
 will be given, introducing in rapid succession  
 the Marvellous Equestrian and Acrobatic  
 Feats by our Galaxy of  
**TWENTY STAR ARTISTS.**  
**BOTH MALE AND FEMALE**  
 Here **N. L. JOHNSON**  
 will present the Percheron  
**ROYAL BENGAL TIGERS.**  
 THE IMPERIAL SHIMIDZU  
 JAPANESE TROUPE  
 in new acts  
 THE INIMITTABLE SARONY  
 in a FESTIVAL OF FUN AND FROLIC.  
 The Celebrated Giganst  
 Mdllo. FAZA  
 in her daring act  
**THE FLYING TRAPEZE**  
**THE FAUST FAMILY.**  
**THE SISTERS STODLEY**  
 The Whallbala Brothers  
**LAVAFER LEE**  
 and all the members of our numerous Company,  
 will strive to exceed all former efforts, and  
 nothing will be left undone to add

lustre and brilliancy to  
**OUR NEW PROGRAMME.**

ADMISSION :

|                             |         |
|-----------------------------|---------|
| Boxes for 6 Persons.....    | \$12.00 |
| Dress Circle.....           | 2.00    |
| Stall (Carpeted Seats)..... | 1.00    |
| Plt.....                    | .50     |

Children, under ten and Soldiers under the rank of Officers, half price except to Boxes.

A reserved division of the Carpeted and Plt Seats has been arranged for Native Ladies.  
(To which they alone are admitted.)

A Plan of the Seats can be seen at the Entrance to the  
**HONGKONG HOTEL**  
(Mr. Moore's Office),  
where Tickets will be on Sale TO-DAY and  
DAIYU from 9 A.M. till 4 P.M., accommo-  
dating Parties who may wish to secure  
seats in advance.

Doors open at 7.30 P.M.—Performance to  
commence at 9 punctually.

**G. ACRAPI,**  
General Agent.

Hongkong, 26th August, 1882.

**FOR SHANGHAI.**

**T**HE Steamship  
"AMOI,"  
Captain Herrmann, will be despatched for the  
above Port TO-DAY, the 26th inst., at Four  
P.M.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**SILMSEN & Co.**  
Hongkong, 26th August, 1882. [1615]

**OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.**

**FOR SHANGHAI.**  
(Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates  
for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEWCHANG, TIENTSIN,  
HANKOW, and PORTS on the YANGTZEK.)

**T**HE Company's Steamship  
"CYCLOPS,"  
Captain Butler, will be despatched on or about  
the 3rd September.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**BUTCHFIELD & CO. STEVE,** Agents.  
Hongkong, 26th August, 1882. [1616]

FOR BELGIAN STEAMERS AND  
MELBOURNE DIRECT.  
(OUTSIDE THE BARRIER REEFS.)

(Taking Cargo at through rates for ADELAIDE  
all NEW ZEALAND and TAHAMAHU PORTS,  
NEW CALEDONIA) and FIJI.

**T**he Steamship

"HUNGARIAN"

Captain Allison, will be despatched as above on  
MONDAY, the 4th September, at FOUR P.M.  
instead of as previously notified.

The Steamer has excellent Cabin Accommoda-  
tion.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.  
Hongkong, 28th August, 1882. [1617]

**A** PORTUGUESE CLERK who has had  
some previous experience required.

Apply to  
O. EWENS,  
Solicitor,  
39, Queen's Road,  
Hongkong, 28th August, 1882. [1819]

**C**HARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF  
INDIA, LONDON, AND CHINA.

**O**N and after MONDAY, the 25th instant  
the BUSINESS of THIS BANK will be  
carried on at the New Offices in Queen's Road  
at the Corner of Lee Hom Lane.

JOHN HURBUEN,  
Manager.

Hongkong, 28th August, 1882. [1620]

**W. G. HUMPHREYS & Co.,**  
MERCHANTS AND GENERAL COMMISSION  
AGENTS.

**H**AVE this day REMOVED THEIR  
OFFICES to the Premises lately occupied by  
Messrs. MacEwan, Frisick & Co. No. 43  
of LEADENHALL STREET.

LONDON OFFICES, 36 and 37, Leadenhall  
Street, E.C.

Hongkong, 28th August, 1882. [1622]

**FOR SALE,**

**W**ALTER'S ROYAL CHARTERED  
CATHMAG & CO'S  
PARVOY to Her Majesty the Queen and  
H. R. Highness the Prince of Wales dated 7th  
Appointment under a Warrant dated 26th  
March, 1881.

1 Dozen Quarts ..... \$25.50  
9 Dozen Pints ..... \$33.50

Apply to  
ARNHOLD, KARBEEG & Co.

Hongkong, 23th August, 1882. 102

**CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE.**  
**LIMITED.**

**S**HAREHOLDERS are requested to note that on surrender of their Provisional Certificates for Shares in this Office, Parmanopoly Scrip will now be issued in Exchange.

**J. KIDNIE, MATHESON & Co.,**  
General Agents,  
Canton Insurance Office, Limited.  
Hongkong, 14th July, 1882. 135







MAN EXPECTED

THE AMERICAN MAIL.

P. M. steamer *City of Peking*, with the American Mail, left San Francisco on \_\_\_\_\_ and is due here on the 20th instant.

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

Union Line steamer *Harter* left Singapore this port on the morning of the 22nd, and expected here on or about the 28th instant.

Q. S. S. Co.'s steamer *Cyclops* left Singapore on the afternoon of the 26th August, and is due here on the 30th instant.

**POST-OFFICE NOTICES.**

The authorized List of Mails issued in Singapore on the 26th August, and may be had here or on the 1st September.

**A MAIL WILL CLOSE**

Batavia—*For Dalo*, to-day, the 28th at 1.30 P.M.  
Amboina—*For Sonquet*, to-day, the 28th at 2.30 P.M.  
Shanghai—*For Amoy*, to-day, the 28th at 3.30 P.M.  
Kobe and Yokohama.—*Per Suwido Maru*, to-day, the 1st September, at 3.30 P.M.  
Nagasaki and Yokohama.—*Per Seishun*, to-day, the 1st September, at 11.30 A.M.  
Straits and Boinbay.—*Per Sunda*, on the 1st, the 2nd September, at 3.30 P.M.

The Ex-officio the Administrator has been directed to approve of the following Hours for the English Mails till further notice, on as yet mentioned below:—

Tuesday, Aug., and the 31st.  
Macao—Money Order Office closes.  
Singapore—Registry of Letters ceases. Post-  
office of all matter and patronous ceases.  
Tuesdays—Mails closed, except for Late Letters.  
Tuesdays—Letters may be posted with late fee  
to 10 cents until  
Tuesdays—when the Post Office closes entirely.  
Late Letters may be posted on board  
or packet, with late fee of 10 cents, and

When the Supplementary Mail will be closed; Circulars will be returned to the post office.  
3.30 PM. Letters may be placed in the post box for treatment at Singapore.

**FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT  
MAILS.**

**THE FRENCH MAIL.**  
BEFORE DEPARTURE (or SATURDAY if the departure be on Monday).  
Money Order may be placed. Post Office closes except the night box, which is always in out of office hours.

**DAY OF DEPARTURE.**  
Post Office opens.

Printed matter and patterns cease.  
Mails close, except for Latin Letters.  
M.N. Letters may be posted with Late Fee  
M.N. on the Post Office close entirely.  
M.N. Late Letters may be posted on board  
packet with Late Fee of 10 Cents until  
of departure.

**REMARKS BY THE BRITISH PACKET.**  
Mails per British Control Packet  
"HUBB" will be closed on THURSDAY  
the 6th August, to and through the  
M. Kingdom and Europe via *Brindisi*; to  
Mediterranean Settlements, *Stavia, Barmah, Coy-*  
*India, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt, Malta,*  
and Star.

— This Packet carries no mails for the  
Mediterranean Colonies.

between Hongkong and any of the British Offices in China, as well as to Japan, Macao, India, the Straits Settlements, and India, must not exceed the following dimensions, long, 1 foot broad, 1 foot deep, weigh more lbs., nor be smaller than 3 in. by 2 in. by Such parcels may lawfully classed if they are special endorsement, Parcel, containing one, but any parcel may be opened by direction of the Postmaster General. In the Case of India a declaration of contents and is required, a printed form for which is

FOR THE UNITED STATES BY SAILING SHIP.

It is desired to forward letters to the States by a sailing ship which is not carrying a mail, it is only necessary to the letters in the ordinary way, marked by the name of the ship, and prepaid 10 cents as usual. The Post Office then makes the duty of obtaining notice of departure and despatching the correspondence. It is desired that the letters be posted if possible one day before the date fixed for sailing.

RATES OF POSTAGE.

|   |           |
|---|-----------|
| Papers, each  | 8 Cents   |
| Pattens, and Commercial<br>papers, per 2 oz.  | 2 Cents.  |
| Papers & Prices Current, each   | 10 Cents. |
| Prison  | 15 Cents. |
| "with return receipt, ...   | 15 Cents. |
| Commercial papers signify such papers as,<br>written by hand, do not bear the charac-<br>ter of actual or personal correspondence, such<br>as notes, drafts, copist music, &c. The charge<br>is made for Books, but all packets of "and<br>of 2 oz. weight are charged 5 Cents. |           |

**SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' LETTERS.**  
Privates in H.M. Army or Navy, Non-Commissioned Officers, Bandmasters, Army Masters (not Superintending or First Writers or Schoolmistresses may send letters gratis to the United Kingdom by the rate of four cents (two pence) each.

ing Stamps. By private steamer the  
is 2 cents (one penny).  
The same privileges apply to letters ad-  
dressed to the Privates and Non-commun-  
d named above.  
When a steamer leaves Hongkong for  
aboard every ten days.  
The letters must not exceed half an ounce.  
Clothes, handkerchiefs, jewellery, &c., can be sent,  
with the ends open.  
From a Soldier or Sailor his class and  
rank must be stated in full on the letter,  
or of which must be signed by the Com-  
missioner, with name of regiment, ship, &c.,  
up to a Soldier or Sailor, his class and de-  
sign, with name of regiment, ship, &c., must  
be in full.

ard to books or papers, nor can these be  
with Imperial Stamps.  
not Warrant Officers, viz.-Conductors, Gun  
swals, or Carpenter.



